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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

In re Application of:)
Wiens Sports International, Inc.)
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Mark: MISCELLANEOUS DESIGN)
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Attention: Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

FIRST REQUEST UNDER RULE 2.102 TO EXTEND
TIME FOR FILING NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Sir:

The Miami Heat Limited Partnership ("Petitioner"), a
Florida Limited Partnership, located at Miami Arena, 721 N.W.
First Avenue, Miami, Florida 33136 by and through its attorneys,
hereby requests that the time for filing a Notice of Opposition
to the above identified application, due May 2, 2002, be extended
for a period of sixty (60) days up to and including July 1, 2002.

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Petitioner is presently investigating the pending application. The requested extension is to enable Petitioner's attorney to have sufficient time to fully investigate this matter and to review this matter with Petitioner to determine whether an opposition against the above-identified application should be filed.


It is submitted that Petitioner has shown good cause for this request and respectfully requests that the extension be granted.

This request is submitted in triplicate, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 2.102(D).

Respectfully submitted,

THE MIAMI HEAT LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

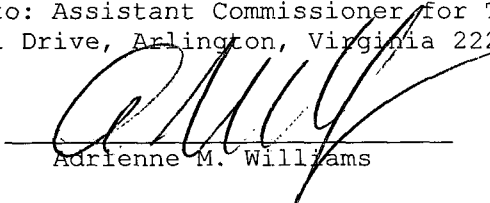
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